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Attached is U.S. Patent No. 3,503,814. This patent includes information of which persons substantively involved in the preparation of the application identified above, are aware of. This statement is not a representation that no other relevant information exists, and is not an admission that any of the items is material. A PTO Form 1449 is attached.

The patent disclosed in this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was originally disclosed to in the Information Disclosure Statement filed with the application on

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requested a copy of this document. In the Amendment dated March 24, 2003, an attempt was made to provide the Examiner with copies of the reference. The Office Action of June 16, 2003, the Examiner again requested a copy of the reference.

It is respectfully submitted that no fee is due with this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement since the cited references was originally disclosed prior to the first action on the merits. However, should it be determined that a fee is due, please charge the fee for this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement to our Deposit Account No. 20-0090.

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